



Serial No. 09/725,213

Docket No.: 1538.1003

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Kazumi HAMAGUCHI et al.

Serial No. 09/725,213

Group Art Unit: 3622

Confirmation No. 6351

Filed: November 29, 2000

Examiner: Alvarez, Raquel

For: MEMBER REGISTRATION SYSTEM

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

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Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed March 18, 2004, and having a period for response set to expire on June 18, 2004. A Petition for One Month Extension of Time, together with the requisite fee is enclosed, thereby extending the response due date to July 19, 2004 (July 18, 2004 falling on a Sunday).

The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted. Reconsideration of the claims is respectfully requested.

If there are any additional fees associated with filing of this Amendment, please charge the same to our Deposit Account No. 19-3935.

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**REPLY/AMENDMENT
FEE TRANSMITTAL**

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First Named Inventor	Kazumi HAMAGUCHI et al.
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AMOUNT ENCLOSED

\$110.00

Examiner Name

Alvarez, Raquel

FEE CALCULATION (fees effective 10/01/03)

CLAIMS AS AMENDED	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest Number Previously Paid For	Number Extra	Rate	Calculations
TOTAL CLAIMS	6	- 19 =	0	X \$ 18.00 =	\$ 0.00
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	3	- 6 =	0	X \$ 86.00 =	0.00

Since an Official Action set an original due date of June 18, 2004, petition is hereby made for an extension to cover the date this reply is filed for which the requisite fee is enclosed (1 month (\$110); 2 months (\$420); 3 months (\$950); 4 months (\$1,480); 5 months (\$2,010)):

110.00

If Notice of Appeal is enclosed, add (\$330.00)

If Statutory Disclaimer under Rule 20(d) is enclosed, add fee (\$110.00)

Information Disclosure Statement (Rule 1.17(p)) (\$180.00)

Total of above Calculations =

\$ 110.00

Reduction by 50% for filing by small entity (37 CFR 1.9, 1.27 & 1.28)

TOTAL FEES DUE =

\$ 110.00

(1) If entry (1) is less than entry (2), entry (3) is "0".

(2) If entry (2) is less than 20, change entry (2) to "20".

(4) If entry (4) is less than entry (5), entry (6) is "0".

(5) If entry (5) is less than 3, change entry (5) to "3".

METHOD OF PAYMENT

- ☒ Check enclosed as payment.
- ☐ Charge "TOTAL FEES DUE" to the Deposit Account No. below.
- ☐ No payment is enclosed and no charges to the Deposit Account are authorized at this time (unless specifically required to obtain a filing date).

GENERAL AUTHORIZATION

- ☒ If the above-noted "AMOUNT ENCLOSED" is not correct, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to credit any overpayment or charge any additional fees necessary to:
- Deposit Account No. 19-3935
- Deposit Account Name STAAS & HALSEY LLP
- ☒ The Commissioner is also authorized to credit any overpayments or charge any additional fees required under 37 CFR 1.16 (filing fees) or 37 CFR 1.17 (processing fees) during the prosecution of this application, including any related application(s) claiming benefit hereof pursuant to 35 USC § 120 (e.g., continuations/divisionals/CIPs under 37 CFR 1.53(b) and/or continuations/divisionals/CPAs under 37 CFR 1.53(d)) to maintain pendency hereof or of any such related application.

SUBMITTED BY: STAAS & HALSEY LLP

Typed Name Mehdi Sheikerz

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Date

July 19, 2004

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ATTACHMENT TO THE AMENDMENT
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